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6505-07 GERMANTOWN AVE. (Billmeyer, Michael, House)

STRUCTURE

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Billmeyer Hse.
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6505-07 Germantown Ave., at NE cor. Upsal St., Germantown Historic District. Coursed Wissahickon schist ashlar front and rubble sides and rear, approx. 40' (four-bay front) x 33' with two-story rear ells, two-and-a-half stories on raised basement, gable roof, front pent eave, gabled dormers with "gothic"

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design, stone stoop with iron rail; side hall plan. Built ca. 1730. Fine example of German colonial architecture. Michael Billmeyer, newspaper and almanac printer and German printer for Pennsylvania Assembly, lived here 1789-1831. Acquired by Germantown Historic Hist. Society 1961. 1 ext. photo (1972). NR.

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